



GATHER TO LEARN

# Beaver Notes

## September

- 18 **Welcome Back Social and 1<sup>st</sup> PTA General Meeting**
- 22 **Sally Foster Orders due**
- 23 **Math Information Night**  
6:30 pm
- 24 **Art Docent Meeting for new & returning docents - 9:05 am**
- 24 **Early Dismissal - 1:05**  
Professional Development
- 25 **School Pictures**
- 29 **Volunteer Orientation/Principal Coffee - 2:00-3:00**

## October

- 2 **Curriculum Night**
- 3 **Mrs. Hawkinson Open House - 3:30 - 6:00 pm**
- 10 **No School - Professional Development**
- 17 **Jogathon!**
- 23 **Volunteer Orientation/Principal Coffee - 7:00-8:00 pm**

## November

- 14 **Harvest Night - 5:30 - 8:00**

**Sept. 22-26 is a B Week.**

**For reporting an absence** please call 252-1504 and leave a message or email all three office ladies: Mimi Walker at [MIwalker1@seattleschools.org](mailto:MIwalker1@seattleschools.org), Lori Payne at [lapayne@seattleschools.org](mailto:lapayne@seattleschools.org), and Kathy Katzen at [kkatzen@seattleschools.org](mailto:kkatzen@seattleschools.org).

**We're so glad we had this time together.....**

and now it's time to say "so long" to our very own Mrs. Mary Hawkinson, who has retired after 30 years of dedication to Loyal Heights. Please join us for an Open House to congratulate Mrs. Hawkinson on her retirement, on Friday, Oct. 3, from 3:30 - 6:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Refreshments will be served.

**Pinocchio DVD's**

If you ordered a DVD of the school play Pinocchio & Friends, PLEASE go to the office and pick it up! Just bring your \$5 to the office and check your name off the list. We need to turn the money into the PTA as soon as possible so don't delay!

**I.D. Tags Are Here**

Forms for I.D. tags went home in the first PTA packet. Please make checks payable to "Loyal Heights PTA" There is an envelope in the office to turn in your order forms. Questions? Call Lori Forsythe. Deadline Friday Oct. 10.

**Communications Going Green**

Help reduce our paper consumption and do your part in protecting the environment! If you would like to receive your issue of Beaver Notes electronically via e-mail, please fill out the Communications questionnaire provided in your PTA packet. We are trying to move toward a paperless system in the future, and will begin this experimental process by issuing Beaver Notes electronically for families that so choose. Remember, every little bit counts!

**Ready...Set...Run!**

Students, families and friends get ready for the 13<sup>th</sup> annual Running of the Beavers! The Jogathon is not only a highly successful fundraiser, but also an incredibly fun and festive community event. This year, mark your calendars to run (or support runners) on Friday, October 17<sup>th</sup>. There are many opportunities to help with the event. If you would like to join one of our planning committees, please call Janet Solan. Or, please watch for Big Blue, the PTA packet, to sign up to volunteer on event day. Thank you!

Janet Solan and Margie Balcos, Fundraising Chairs

**Are you interested in representing our PTA** at the 2008 WSPTA Legislative Assembly on Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup>? During this assembly you'll vote on the issues that the WSPTA will support! Please contact Anne Forester.

**SANITY CIRCUS** is offering a FREE 6 week series for parents and teachers who want more cooperative, respectful, and joyful relationships with children and youth. Oct. 6 - Nov. 10 at Assumption-St. Bridget School, 6229 32nd Ave. NE. Mondays 7 - 8:30. Childcare available, clock hours for teachers. Contact Jennifer 206-522-4220 or [jtiesi@hotmail.com](mailto:jtiesi@hotmail.com) to register or get more information.

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